UNION PIER CRUISE TERMINAL



OVERVIEW

Working in close collaboration with the City of Charleston, the South Carolina State Ports Authority is creating a plan for its Union Pier Cruise Terminal and the surrounding area.

The planning team is led by Cooper, Robertson & Partners, one of the nation's preeminent planning and design firms. The planning process will include continuous opportunities for public input.

GOALS

- Create a financially viable plan for a new cruise terminal that is attractive and in keeping with the character of historic Charleston
- Comply with today's enhanced cruise security requirements
- Mitigate impacts on existing infrastructure and traffic
- Identify additional uses for the Union Pier property that bring enjoyment to Charlestonians and enhance the local economy
- Increase public access to Charleston's historic waterfront

PLANNING PROCESS

The planning process is expected to take about four months and include four phases:

PHASE I

Discovery and Analysis, during which the planning team will study the site and related economic, design, and engineering data.

PHASE II

Listening and Planning, including a public 'listening session' currently scheduled for October 28th.

PHASE III

Preliminary Plan, developed and presented to the public for comments and input, currently planned for mid-December.

PHASE IV

Union Pier Cruise Terminal Plan, to be presented to the public, currently planned for late January.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

There will be opportunities for public participation throughout the planning process. In addition to attending public meetings, community members can visit www.UnionPierPlan.com to provide comments and get the latest news.

THE UNION PIER CRUISE TERMINAL PLANNING TEAM

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